

## CITY COUNCIL.

## A Full Meeting Held Last Night—Matters of Importance Acted Upon.

The Main Street Bridge Will Be Repaired Immediately—A Petition and Vote From the South Side.

The city council met in regular session last night and matters of importance were acted upon. There was a little ripple of excitement when one of the members from the Fourth ward appeared, but the work went on after a little sparring.

The meeting was called to order by the mayor at 8 o'clock, with a quorum present. Messrs. Bailey, Day, Frazier and Clements were absent. Mr. Frazier, Clements and Day appeared during the reading of the minutes, leaving only one absence, that of Mr. Bailey.

The minutes of the last regular meeting were read and adopted, also those of the special session. Mr. Martin's absence from the last three meetings was excused on account of sickness.

The committee on claims reported claims to the amount of \$526.25 and was adopted.

The committee on fire department recommended the report of the fire chief and force, and presented a resolution to the effect that a lot be selected for a central hall, additional fire boxes be put in and allow one day off in every ten for those firemen who are on duty all the time. This was made a special order for next week.

The committee on waterworks made a report of the bids on the electric light plant. The bids were three in number, the highest being \$735.50, and the lowest \$547.00. The committee calculated on about \$8900. Mr. Nies thought that \$1500 would amply pay for the structure as designed. Mr. Frazier explained that time was pressing and moved that the lowest bid, that of Heck & Baker, be taken. The alternative of putting up a temporary affair was placed before the council by Mr. Nies. The engine of 160 horse power will be delivered on June 15. The motion was carried.

Under the head of special business the secretary reported that Mr. Haines was present in reply to the inquiry in regard to the bridge repairs. Mr. Leversedge's plan in a written statement, had no proposition to make, not understanding what was wanted. Mr. Leversedge submitted that he was ready to make temporary repairs for the sum of \$1750 with weekly payments under the city engineer's supervision, and the offer not open after May 28. The city should take all risk of collapse. Mr. Frazier reported that the North Side street railway company would pay \$500 towards the repairs, which will allow another slide of two feet or more. The past slide has been estimated at eighteen inches. The city engineer thought that the plan of Mr. Leversedge was entirely satisfactory. Mr. Haines explained that the plan was to put the bridge on false work, and himself would work by the day or on the percentage plan. He could make an estimate. He would put a shoe and brace on the southern piers and plumb them, thus allowing more sliding.

Mr. Nies moved that Mr. Haines' proposition be accepted which allows him 10 per cent. of the cost for oversight and tools. Mr. Clements did not wish to be regarded as an obstructionist but thought that the scheme was intangible. He wanted to know the figures before the work was commenced. Mr. Nies stated that Messrs. Cetti and Lynch advised this method of doing the work and thought that possibly the work might cost less. In Mr. Leversedge's plan the city would have to indemnify him for any loss or damage. Mr. Haines' plan after some discussion was carried. Mr. Nies moved that the street and alley committee allow the work to proceed after the North Side street railway company pay the \$500 towards the work. Carried.

The ordinance granting the Fred Helm brewing company, which was laid over last week, was taken up by sections. The first provided that a single track be laid on Front street from the east side of Jennings avenue 300 feet was adopted. The second provided that the work be done within ninety days and the streets be kept in good order at the company's expense, also if any improvement be made on the street up to the company should reconstruct the switch to meet it and the whole be under the duty to pay any damages which the switch might occasion. Adopted with amendments of single words. The ordinance shall take effect after its passage. The ordinance was then adopted as a whole.

A. M. Carter was present and wished the ordinance on the Park street railway brought up, as they had been ready to give out the contract for some weeks, and were only waiting for the action of the council. The company are willing to construct their own grade over Hill street, as the ordinance calls for.

At this point Mr. Bailey made an appearance and wished a reconsideration of the bridge question. Mr. Martin, after a long delay, moved that Mr. Bailey be allowed to record his vote. At Mr. Bailey's request Mr. Martin withdrew his motion and nobody moved a reconsideration. Mr. Bailey wanted an eye and no vote on the bridge question, but was ruled out of order. His vote was recorded in the negative.

The resolution that the city council appoint an assistant city engineer at blank salary to superintend all sewer work and report to the sewer committee was taken up. Mr. Bailey insisted that the matter be left over one week for the sewer committee to take action in committee meeting. The matter was put at not exceeding \$125 per month, and Mr. Clements' motion. Mr. Bailey moved that it be referred to the sewer committee, but he received no second. The resolution was then adopted.

The resolution to put in sewer pipes on Leuda street, in the vicinity of Missouri avenue and Louisiana avenue, was referred to the committee.

A petition asking that the culvert on West Broadway, near Hemphill street, be extended, was referred to the street and alley committee, with power to act. The Santa Fe road was granted the power, when an ordinance to that effect was passed, to build a line from East Fifth street to the warehouses of Maddox & Ellison.

Mr. Byers' proposition to pay \$500 to repair the bridge was read and accepted. The action of the secretary was approved in paying Frank Martin \$800 on note and interest \$72.

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Hoffman, P.	4	0	0	0	1	0
Totals	32	0	0	0	7	1

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Houston	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

Earned runs—Houston, 2. Two base hits—Houston, 2; Krehmeyer, 1. Sacrifice hits—Holland, 2; Krehmeyer, 1. Double plays—Went to Krehmeyer.

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Nulton, J.	4	0	0	0	0	0
Aschberger, J.	4	0	0	0	0	0
Sherry, J.	4	0	0	0	0	0
Hoffman, P.	4	0	0	0	0	0
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Ex-Governor Lubbock Visited by the Man who Carried Him a Captive from Fortress Monroe to Fort Delaware.

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